

What you need when you register to vote:

When a Colorado citizen registers to vote, he or she is required to provide their driver license number (or Colorado ID card number) if they have one. If not, the voter can provide the last four digits of their social security number. If the voter does not have a state-issued ID or a social security number, an ID number for voting will be assigned to them.

Once you are registered:

When a voter goes into vote, he or she can show any type of ID on the list of acceptable IDs for voting. That list includes utility bills, student IDs, Medicare cards, and several other options.

Background: full list for voting

Acceptable forms of identification in Colorado for voting are:

- (a) A valid **Colorado driver's license**;
- (b) A valid **identification card** issued by the Department of Revenue in accordance with the requirements of Part 3 of Article 2 of Title 42, C.R.S.;
- (c) A valid **U.S. passport**;
- (d) A valid **employee identification card with a photograph** of the eligible elector issued by any branch, department, agency, or entity of the United States government or of this state, or by any county, municipality, board, authority, or other political subdivision of this state;
- (e) A **valid pilot's license** issued by the federal aviation administration or other authorized agency of the United States;
- (f) A valid **U.S. military identification card** with a photograph of the eligible elector;
- (g) A copy of a current utility bill, bank statement, government check, paycheck, or other government document that shows the name and address of the elector. For example:
 - (I) A cable bill or telephone bill,
 - (II) Documentation from a public institution of higher education in Colorado containing at least the name, date of birth, and legal residence address of the student elector,
 - (III) A paycheck from a government institution or private company, or
 - (IV) A Certificate of Degree of Indian or Alaskan Native Blood.
- (h) A valid **Medicare or Medicaid card** issued by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (formerly the United States Health Care Financing Administration);
- (i) A certified copy of a **U.S. birth certificate** for the elector issued in the United States;
- (j) **Certified documentation of naturalization**;
- (k) A valid **student identification card with a photograph** of the eligible elector issued by an institute of higher education in Colorado, as defined in section 23-3.1-102(5), C.R.S.;
- (l) A valid **veteran identification card** issued by the United States department of veterans affairs veterans health administration with a photograph of the eligible elector.
- (m) A valid **identification card issued by a federally recognized tribal government** certifying tribal membership.
- (n) Verification that a voter is a person committed to the department of human services and confined and eligible to register and vote shall be considered sufficient identification of such person for the purposes of section 1-2-210.5, C.R.S. Section 1-1-104(19.5), C.R.S.